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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 (6 pages).
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages) and PTO Form SB/08 (1 page).
- [X] Check No. 38419 in the amount of \$180.00 for the Information Disclosure Statement fee.
- [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As Amended		Previously Paid For		Extra Claims Present		Rate		Additional Claims Fee
Total Claims:	14	-	20	=	0	х	\$18.00	=	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	1	-	3	=	0	x	\$86.00	=	\$0.00
First p	resentation (of ar	ny Multiple I	Deper	ndent Claims:	+	\$290.00	=	\$0.00
					CLAIMS	FE]	E TOTAL	=	\$0.00

[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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